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1 **SECTION 78.** 38.08 (6) of the statutes is created to read:

2 38.08 **(6)** (a) Within 90 days after the population count by block, established
3 in the decennial federal census of population, and maps showing the location and
4 numbering of census blocks become available in printed form from the federal
5 government or are published for distribution by an agency of this state or within 90
6 days after alteration of the boundaries of an existing district, the district board of
7 each existing district shall apportion and prescribe the boundaries of 9 numbered
8 election districts within the district, to be as nearly equal in population as possible.
9 Within 90 days after the creation of any new district, the board shall similarly
10 apportion and prescribe the boundaries of 9 numbered election districts within that
11 district. Alterations in election districts resulting from boundary changes to existing
12 districts may be made only to the extent required to facilitate the change. Insofar
13 as possible, each election district shall be compact and observe the community of
14 interest of existing neighborhoods. A detailed map and description of each election
15 district prescribed by a district board shall be prepared and transmitted by the
16 district board to the director of the board.

17 (b) All proposed district boundaries established by a district board under par.
18 ✓ (a) shall become effective only upon their approval by the board. If the board
19 disapproves the proposed boundaries, the district board shall submit a revised
20 districting plan for approval of the board. Upon approval of the election district
21 boundaries within any district, the board shall promulgate the boundaries
22 established under par. (a) ✓ as a rule under ch. 227. The boundaries shall become
23 effective on the effective date of the rule.

24 **SECTION 79.** 38.10 of the statutes is repealed. ✕

25 **SECTION 80.** 60.72 (8) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 60.72 (8) (a) After a town sanitary district has been established under sub. (6)
2 or (7), the town board shall appoint ~~or provide for the election of the initial~~
3 ~~commissioners or constitute itself as the commission under s. 60.74~~ within 60 days
4 after the expiration of the review period under s. 60.73, if no appeal is filed, or within
5 60 days after the department's order is affirmed in a proceeding under s. 60.73. If
6 the town board does not appoint ~~or provide for the election of the initial~~
7 ~~commissioners or constitute itself as the commission~~, the department shall appoint,
8 for 2-year terms, 3 commissioners who meet the residence and property-ownership
9 requirements of s. 60.75 (3). The initial appointed commissioners shall serve for the
10 term prescribed under s. 60.74 (3).

11 **SECTION 81.** 60.72 (8) (b) of the statutes is repealed.

12 **SECTION 82.** 60.72 (8) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

13 60.72 (8) (d) The department shall file notice of all appointments the
14 appointment of the initial commissioners with the town clerk in each town in which
15 the district is located.

16 **SECTION 83.** 60.74 (1) of the statutes is repealed.

17 **SECTION 84.** 60.74 (2) of the statutes is repealed.

18 **SECTION 85.** 60.74 (3) (a) of the statutes is renumbered 60.74 (3) and amended
19 to read:

20 60.74 (3) ELECTION OF COMMISSIONERS. ~~If the town board provides for the~~
21 ~~election of commissioners, the~~ Upon creation of a district, the town board shall either
22 schedule the first election of the ~~first~~ commissioners at the next regular spring
23 election that follows the first November 15 that occurs after the district is created or
24 call a special election. If the town board schedules the first election of the ~~first~~
25 commissioners at the ~~next regular~~ spring election, the town board shall appoint

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commissioners, within the time limits ~~under~~ ^{specified in} sub. (1) or (2), to serve until the 3rd Monday of April in the year when the next regular spring election is held.

SECTION 86. 60.74 (3) (b) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 87. 60.74 (4) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 88. 60.74 (5) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 89. 60.74 (5m) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 90. 60.74 (6) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 91. 60.75 (1) (a) of the statutes is renumbered 60.75 (1) and amended to read:

60.75 (1) NUMBER OF COMMISSIONERS. Except as provided in par. (b), the The commission shall consist of 3 members.

SECTION 92. 60.75 (1) (b) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 93. 60.75 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

60.75 (2) (a) Except as provided in par. (b) and (c), commissioners shall serve for staggered 6-year terms.

SECTION 94. 60.75 (2) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

60.75 (2) (b) Except as provided in ^{under} par. (c), of Of the commissioners first appointed or elected in a newly established town sanitary district, one shall be appointed or elected for a term of 2 years, one for a term of 4 years and one for a term of 6 years. If the commissioners first elected in a newly established town sanitary district are elected at a special election, the town board shall specify shorter staggered terms for the commissioners so that their successors may be elected at a regular spring election.

SECTION 95. 60.75 (2) (c) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 96. 60.75 (2) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 60.75 (2) (d) ~~An elected~~ A commissioner shall hold office until the 3rd Monday
2 of April in the year that his or her successor is elected. ~~An appointed commissioner~~
3 shall hold office until a successor takes office.

4 **SECTION 97.** 60.75 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

5 60.75 (3) (a) Except as provided in par. (b) or [✓](e), all commissioners shall be
6 residents of the town sanitary district.

7 **SECTION 98.** 60.75 (3) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

8 60.75 (3) (b) If ~~commissioners are elected or appointed and if~~ the sanitary
9 district is composed primarily of summer resort property, at least one of the
10 commissioners shall be a resident of the district. Any commissioner who is not a
11 resident shall own property within the town sanitary district. If the commissioners
12 are not all required to be residents of the district, the commission [✓]shall designate one
13 or 2 seats as resident commissioners. No person is qualified to hold the seat of a
14 resident commissioner who is not a resident of the sanitary district.

15 **SECTION 99.** 60.75 (3) (c) ⁴of the statutes is repealed.

16 **SECTION 100.** 60.75 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

17 60.75 (4) VACANCIES. Any vacancy on ~~an elective or appointive~~ a commission
18 may be filled by appointment by the town board for the remainder of the unexpired
19 term. ~~Any vacancy on a commission consisting of town board supervisors remains~~
20 ~~vacant until a successor town board supervisor is appointed or elected.~~

21 **SECTION 101.** 60.76 (1) (a) of the statutes is renumbered 60.76 (1) and amended
22 to read:

23 60.76 (1) ELECTION OF OFFICERS. ~~Except as provided in par. (b), the~~ [✓]The
24 commission shall organize by electing one of its members president and appointing
25 a secretary and treasurer.

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1 **SECTION 102.** 60.76 (1) (b) of the statutes is repealed.

2 **SECTION 103.** 60.785 (2) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

3 60.785 (2) (b) Within 60 days after the referendum, the appropriate town board
4 shall ~~appoint or~~ provide for the initial election of commissioners ~~or constitute itself~~
5 ~~as the commission~~ for the consolidated district, as provided in s. 60.74.

6 **SECTION 104.** 66.0217 (10) (b) of the statutes is renumbered 66.0217 (10) (b)
7 (intro.) and amended to read:

8 66.0217 (10) (b) (intro.) For purposes of this section, if a number of electors
9 cannot be determined on the basis of reported election statistics, the number shall
10 be determined in accordance with s. 60.74 (6). as follows:

11 **SECTION 105.** 66.0217 (10) (b) 1. to 3. of the statutes are created to read:

12 66.0217 (10) (b) 1. The area of the territory in square miles shall be divided by
13 the area, in square miles, of the municipality in which it lies.

14 2. The vote for governor at the last general election in the municipality within
15 which the territory lies shall be multiplied by the quotient determined under subd.
16 1.

17 3. If a territory lies in more than one municipality, the method of determination
18 under subds. 1. and 2. shall be used for each part of the territory which constitutes
19 only a fractional part of any area for which election statistics are available.

20 **SECTION 106.** 66.0219 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

21 66.0219 (2) (a) If, prior to the date set for hearing upon an application filed
22 under sub. (1) (b), there is filed with the court a petition signed by a number of
23 qualified electors residing in the territory equal to at least a majority of the votes cast
24 for governor in the territory at the last gubernatorial election or the owners of more
25 than one-half of the real property in assessed value in the territory, protesting

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1 against the annexation of the territory, the court shall deny the application for an
2 annexation referendum. If a number of electors cannot be determined on the basis
3 of reported election statistics, the number shall be determined in accordance with s.
4 ~~60.74 (6)~~ [✓] 66.0217 (10) (b). [✓]

5 **SECTION 107.** 66.0227 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

6 66.0227 (3) The governing body of a city, village or town involved may, or if a
7 petition conforming to the requirements of s. 8.40 signed by a number of qualified
8 electors equal to at least 5% of the votes cast for governor in the city, village or town
9 at the last gubernatorial election, demanding a referendum, is presented to it within
10 30 days after the passage of either of the ordinances under sub. (2) shall, submit the
11 question to the electors of the city, village or town whose electors petitioned for
12 detachment, at a referendum election called for that purpose not less than 42 days
13 nor more than 72 days after the filing of the petition, or after the enactment of either
14 ordinance. The petition shall be filed as provided in s. 8.37. If a number of electors
15 cannot be determined on the basis of reported election statistics, the number shall
16 be determined in accordance with s. ~~60.74 (6)~~ [✓] 66.0217 (10) (b). [✓] The governing body
17 of the municipality shall appoint 3 election inspectors who are resident electors to
18 supervise the referendum. The ballots shall contain the words "For Detachment"
19 and "Against Detachment". The inspectors shall certify the results of the election by
20 their attached affidavits and file a copy with the clerk of each town, village or city
21 involved, and none of the ordinances may take effect nor be in force unless a majority
22 of the electors approve the question. The referendum election shall be conducted in
23 accordance with chs. 6 and 7 to the extent applicable.

24 **SECTION 108.** 67.05 (5) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 67.05 (5) (a) Whenever an initial resolution has been so adopted by the
2 governing body of a town, the clerk of the municipality shall immediately record the
3 resolution and call a special election for the purpose of submitting the resolution to
4 the electors of the municipality for approval. This paragraph does not apply to bonds
5 issued to finance low-interest mortgage loans under s. 62.237, unless a number of
6 electors equal to at least 15% of the votes cast for governor at the last general election
7 in their town sign and file a petition conforming to the requirements of s. 8.40 with
8 the town clerk requesting submission of the resolution. Whenever a number of
9 electors cannot be determined on the basis of reported statistics, the number shall
10 be determined in accordance with s. ~~60.74 (6)~~ [✓] 66.0217 (10) (b) [✓]. If a petition is filed,
11 the question submitted shall be whether the resolution shall or shall not be
12 approved. This paragraph is limited in its scope by sub. (7).

13 **SECTION 109.** 67.05 (7) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

14 67.05 (7) (b) An initial resolution adopted by the governing body of a city for
15 an issue of bonds for purposes specifically enumerated in sub. (5) need not be
16 submitted to the electors under sub. (5) unless, within 30 days after the adoption
17 thereof, a petition conforming to the requirements of s. 8.40 requesting such
18 submission, signed by electors numbering at least 10% of the votes cast for governor
19 in the city at the last general election, is filed in the office of the city clerk. Whenever
20 a number of electors cannot be determined on the basis of reported statistics, the
21 number shall be determined in accordance with s. ~~60.74 (6)~~ [✓] 66.0217 (10) (b) [✓]. Any
22 initial resolution may, in the discretion of the governing body, by separate recorded
23 resolution, be submitted to popular vote without a petition.

24 **SECTION 110.** 67.05 (7) (e) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 67.05 (7) (e) An initial resolution adopted by the governing body of a city or
2 village for an issue of bonds to create a revolving fund out of which to advance the
3 cost of any work for which special assessments may be levied, in anticipation of the
4 collection by the city or village treasurer of the special assessments, special
5 improvement certificates and improvement bonds, made or issued for the cost
6 thereof, need not be submitted to the electors under sub. (5) unless, within 30 days
7 after the adoption thereof, a petition conforming to the requirements of s. 8.40
8 requesting such submission, signed by electors numbering at least 10% of the votes
9 cast for governor in the city or village at the last general election, is filed in the office
10 of the city or village clerk. Whenever a number of electors cannot be determined on
11 the basis of reported statistics, the number shall be determined in accordance with
12 s. 60.74 (6) [✓] 66.0217 (10) [✓] (b). If such petition is filed, proceedings shall be had under
13 sub. (5). Any such resolution may, in the discretion of the governing body, by separate
14 recorded resolution, be submitted to popular vote without the filing of a petition.

15 **SECTION 111.** 200.09 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

16 200.09 (1) A district formed under this subchapter shall be governed by a
17 5-member commission appointed elected for staggered 5-year terms. ~~Except as~~
18 ~~provided in sub. (11), except that upon creation of a district, the initial~~ commissioners
19 shall be appointed jointly by the county board of the county in which the district is
20 located. ~~If the district contains territory of more than one county, the county boards~~
21 ~~of the counties not having the greatest population in the district shall appoint one~~
22 ~~commissioner each and the county board of the county having the greatest~~
23 ~~population in the district shall appoint the remainder. Of the initial appointments,~~
24 ~~the appointments for the shortest terms shall be made by the counties having the~~
25 ~~least amount of population, in reverse order of their population included in the~~

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1 district governing body or bodies of each city, village, and town whose territory is
2 included within the district. The initial appointees shall serve for a term expiring
3 on the 4th Monday of April of the 2nd year beginning after their appointment.
4 Commissioners shall be residents of the district. Initial appointments shall be made
5 no sooner than 60 days and no later than 90 days after issuance of the department
6 order forming a district or after completion of any court proceedings challenging such
7 order. A per diem compensation not to exceed \$50 may be paid to commissioners.
8 Commissioners may be reimbursed for actual expenses incurred as commissioners
9 in carrying out the work of the commission.

10 SECTION 112. 200.09 (9) of the statutes is repealed.

11 SECTION 113. 200.09 (11) (a) of the statutes is repealed.

12 SECTION 114. 200.09 (11) (am) 1. of the statutes is renumbered 200.09 (11) and
13 amended to read:

14 200.09 (11) If the governing bodies of each city, village and town comprising a
15 ~~district pass a resolution authorizing the election of commissioners to terms~~
16 ~~succeeding the initial appointments, commissioners~~ Commissioners shall be chosen
17 ~~to fill vacant seats elected by the electors of the district at large at the spring~~
18 ~~elections, as defined in s. 5.02 (21), of the district at large election. Of the~~
19 ~~commissioners who are initially elected, one shall be chosen for a term of one year;~~
20 ~~one shall be chosen for a term of 2 years; one shall be chosen for a term of 3 years;~~
21 ~~one shall be chosen for a term of 4 years; and one shall be chosen for a term of 5 years.~~
22 Each commissioner may hold office until a successor is elected and qualified, except
23 as provided in s. 17.27 (1m). Any commissioner elected for a regular or unexpired
24 term shall take office after filing the official oath on the 4th Monday in April.

25 SECTION 115. 200.09 (11) (am) 2. and 3. and (b) of the statutes are repealed.

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1 **SECTION 116.** 200.11 (9) of the statutes is amended to read:

2 200.11 **(9)** EXTRATERRITORIAL SERVICE BY CONTRACT. A district may provide
3 service to territory outside the district, including territory in a county not in that
4 district, under s. 66.0301, subject to ss. 200.01 to 200.15 and 200.45, ~~except that s.~~
5 ~~200.09 (1) does not require the appointment of a commissioner from that territory.~~

6 **SECTION 117.** 200.15 (4) of the statutes is repealed.

7 **SECTION 118.** 200.23 (2) of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

8 200.23 **(2)** COMPOSITION OF THE COMMISSION. (a) The commission is composed
9 of 11 members who are elected from 11 subdistricts within the district.

10 (b) Each commissioner shall be a resident of the subdistrict from which he or
11 she is elected. A commissioner who ceases to reside in the subdistrict from which he
12 or she was elected vacates his or her office.

13 (c) Commissioners shall be nominated by nomination papers. Candidates for
14 the office of commissioner shall specify on their nomination papers the subdistrict
15 number from which they seek office. The terms of commissioners shall be 2 years,
16 beginning on the 2nd Tuesday in July following their election, except that the terms
17 of the members who are initially elected to office representing even-numbered
18 subdistricts shall expire on the the 2nd Tuesday in July of the first even-numbered
19 year following their election, and the terms of the members who are initially elected
20 to office representing odd-numbered subdistricts shall expire on the 2nd Tuesday of
21 July of the first odd-numbered year following their election.

22 (d) Commissioners may be removed from office, for cause, as provided in s.
23 17.13 (3) and may be recalled under s. 9.10. Vacancies in the office of commissioner
24 shall be filled as provided in s. 17.27 (1g).

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(e) No later than 5 p.m. on the 2nd Tuesday in January, the secretary of the district shall certify to the county clerk or board of election commissioners of each county in which the district is contained the names of candidates who have filed valid nomination papers for the office of commissioner and who are eligible to have their names appear on the ballot under s. 8.30. If any municipality contained within the district prepares its own ballots under s. 7.15 (2) (c), the secretary shall also certify the names of candidates to the municipal clerk or board of election commissioners of that municipality. In making these certifications, the secretary shall designate the form of each candidate's name to appear on the ballot in the manner prescribed under s. 7.08 (2) (a). If a primary is held for the office of commissioner within any subdistrict of the district, the secretary shall similarly certify the names of the candidates who have won nomination to the office of commissioner and who are eligible to have their names appear on the ballot in the manner prescribed in s. 7.08 (2) (a). The secretary shall furnish one copy of the type A notice under s. 10.01 (2) (a) to each clerk or board of election commissioners to whom a certification is required. If paper ballots are used at a district election, the secretary shall provide each municipal clerk or board of election commissioners with an adequate supply of ballots for the election at least 22 days before the election. The secretary shall issue certificates of election to persons who are elected to the office of commissioner after each election in the manner provided under s. 7.53 (4).

SECTION 119. 200.25 (1) to (4) of the statutes are repealed.

SECTION 120. 200.25 (7) (a) of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

200.25 (7) (a) Within 60 days after the municipal governing body of each municipality that is wholly or partly contained within the district enacts an ordinance or resolution under s. 5.15 dividing the municipality into wards, if the

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1 municipality is required to do so, or otherwise within 60 days after the population
2 count by block, established in the federal decennial census of population, and maps
3 showing the location and numbering of census blocks become available in printed
4 form from the federal government or are published for distribution by an agency of
5 this state, the commission shall, by a majority vote of the members of the
6 commission, adopt a revised plan for the apportionment of subdistricts within the
7 district. The subdistricts under the plan shall be assigned consecutive whole
8 numbers beginning with the number one. Each subdistrict under the plan shall
9 consist of contiguous whole wards or municipalities and shall be equal in population
10 insofar as practicable. For purposes of this paragraph, "island territory," as defined
11 in s. 5.15 (2) (f) 3., shall be considered contiguous to the other parts of the
12 municipality to which it belongs. In developing the plan, the commission shall give
13 due consideration to maintaining the compactness of subdistricts, maintaining the
14 integrity of counties and municipalities within subdistricts, maintaining
15 communities of interest within subdistricts, and fostering politically competitive
16 subdistricts. The secretary of the commission shall certify and record an official copy
17 of the plan in the office of the district. The plan shall be effective until the commission
18 adopts a revised plan under this subsection following the next federal decennial
19 census, unless otherwise ordered by a court under par. (b).

20 **SECTION 121.** 200.25 (8) of the statutes is repealed.

21 **SECTION 122.** 200.27 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

22 200.27 (1) **QUORUM.** Six commissioners constitute a quorum for the transaction
23 of business. ~~If after reapportionment under s. 200.25 (7) the number of~~
24 ~~commissioners is increased to 12 or 13, 7 commissioners constitute a quorum. If after~~

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1 reapportionment under s. 200.25 (7) the number of commissioners is reduced to 9 or
2 10, 5 commissioners constitute a quorum.

3 **SECTION 123.** 200.27 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 200.27 (3) CHAIRPERSON. The At a commission's first meeting after an election
5 of commissioners the terms of whom begin on the 2nd Tuesday in July, the
6 commission shall elect one commissioner as chairperson of the commission, for a
7 one-year term specified by rule by the commission. The term shall begin on the date
8 the chairperson is elected and shall end one year later, except that if a successor has
9 not been elected by the end of the chairperson's term, the term shall end on the date
10 on which a successor is elected. The chairperson is removable at pleasure by a
11 majority vote of the members of the commission if a quorum is present at the meeting
12 at which the vote occurs. The chairperson shall preside over the meetings of the
13 commission and shall perform other duties imposed upon the chairperson by this
14 subchapter or assigned by the commission. The commission may also appoint a vice
15 chairperson who may exercise the powers and shall perform the duties of the
16 chairperson in the absence or disability of the chairperson.

17 **SECTION 124.** 229.42 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

18 229.42 (3) The district shall be governed by its board of directors and, except
19 for the 3rd member described under sub. (4) (d) who is either a chief executive officer
20 of a municipality or a resident of the district, which shall be elected at large by the
21 electors of the district at the spring election to serve for terms of 3 years, except as
22 provided in sub. (7). All board members shall be residents of the district. Board
23 members shall take office on the 4th Tuesday of April. The members who are initially
24 appointed to serve as the board of directors under sub. (7) may not act until all of the

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persons appointed to its board are certified under s. 229.435. The board of directors shall adopt bylaws to govern the district's activities, subject to this subchapter.

SECTION 125. 229.42 (4) (intro.) of the statutes is renumbered 229.42 (4) and amended to read:

229.42 (4) If the sole sponsoring municipality is a 1st class city, the board of directors shall consist of 15 members, who shall be qualified and appointed, subject to sub. (7) (b), as follows:

SECTION 126. 229.42 (4) (a) to (f) of the statutes are repealed.

SECTION 127. 229.42 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:

229.42 (5) (a) If a district has 2 or more sponsoring municipalities, one of which is a 1st class city, the board of directors shall consist of 8 members appointed by the chief executive officers of the sponsoring municipalities. The allocation of appointments by the chief executive officers and the expiration dates of the terms of office shall be specified in the enabling resolutions. The directors shall be subject to sub. (7) (a).

(b) If a district has 2 or more sponsoring municipalities, none of which is a 1st class city, the board of directors shall consist of 6 members appointed by the chief executive officer of each sponsoring municipality. The allocation of appointments by the chief executive officers and the expiration dates of the terms of office shall be specified in the enabling resolutions. The directors shall be subject to sub. (7) (a).

SECTION 128. 229.42 (6) of the statutes is amended to read:

229.42 (6) If the sole sponsoring municipality is not a 1st class city, the board of directors shall consist of 6 members, all of whom shall reside in the area of the district's jurisdiction and shall be appointed by the sponsoring municipality's chief executive officer, subject to sub. (7) (a). The expiration dates of the members' terms

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1 of office shall be specified in the enabling resolution. Three of the directors shall be
2 elected or appointed public officials of the sponsoring municipality, one shall own,
3 operate or manage an enterprise that is located within the district's jurisdiction and
4 that has a significant involvement with the hotel, motel and lodging industry, one
5 shall own, operate or manage an enterprise that is located within the district's
6 jurisdiction and that has a significant involvement with the food and beverage
7 industry and one shall be an at-large appointment who is an employee or officer of
8 a private sector entity.

9 **SECTION 129.** 229.42 (7) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

10 229.42 (7) (a) Appointments Initial appointments or appointments to fill
11 vacancies in the membership of the board of directors by the chief executive officer
12 under subs. (5) and (6) of a sponsoring municipality shall be subject to confirmation
13 by the governing body of the sponsoring municipality. The terms of office of the public
14 sector members of the board of directors shall be 3 years and shall expire upon the
15 earlier of a date specified in the enabling resolution or the expiration of their
16 respective terms of public office. The terms of office of the members who are officers
17 or employees of a private sector entity shall be 3 years, except that for the initial
18 appointments for or, if there is more than one sponsoring municipality, by the
19 governing body of each sponsoring municipality. In a newly created district, the
20 initial members shall be appointed by the chief executive officer of the sponsoring
21 municipality or, if there is more than one sponsoring municipality, by a committee
22 consisting of the chief executive officers of the sponsoring municipalities. Of the
23 members of the board of directors who are initially elected to office, the secretary of
24 the district shall designate, no later than November 15 preceding the date of the
25 spring election at which members of the board of directors are initially elected.

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1 one-third of the appointments of such members shall to be elected for one year terms
2 expiring on the 4th Tuesday of April of the 3rd year beginning after the date of
3 creation of the district, one-third shall to be elected for 2 years terms expiring on the
4 4th Tuesday of April of the 4th year beginning after the year in which the district is
5 created, and one-third shall to be elected for 3 years terms expiring on the 4th
6 Tuesday of April of the 5th year beginning after the year in which the district is
7 created. If the number of members who are officers or employees of a private sector
8 entity of the board of directors is not divisible by 3, for the initial appointments of
9 such members for a newly created district, the secretary of the district shall
10 designate, no later than November 15 preceding the date of the spring election at
11 which district board members are initially elected approximately one-third of the
12 appointments shall members to be for one year elected for terms expiring on the 4th
13 Tuesday of April of the 3rd year beginning after creation of the district,
14 approximately one-third shall of the members to be for 2 years elected for terms
15 expiring on the 4th Tuesday of April of the 4th year beginning after creation of the
16 district, and approximately one-third shall of the members to be for 3 years. No
17 members who are officers or employees of a private sector entity may serve more than
18 2 consecutive full terms. Members may be removed from the board of directors prior
19 to the expiration of their terms only by the chief executive officer and only for
20 malfeasance or nonfeasance in office elected for terms expiring on the 4th Tuesday
21 of April of the 5th year beginning after creation of the district.

22 **SECTION 130.** 229.42 (7) (b) 1. of the statutes is renumbered 229.42 (7) (b) and
23 amended to read:

24 229.42 (7) (b) Subject to subds. 2. and 3., the The terms of office of the
25 individuals who are initially appointed to serve as members of the board shall be 3

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1 years, except that for the initial appointments for of directors in a newly created
2 district, as specified in the enabling resolution, 4 of the appointments shall be for one
3 year, 4 appointments, including the 3 members appointed under sub. (4) (d), shall be ✓
4 for 2 years and 4 appointments shall be for 3 years. The cochairpersons of the joint
5 committee on finance or their designees shall serve on the board for a term that is
6 concurrent with their terms in office and the comptroller's appointment shall be for
7 the comptroller's tenure in his or her position expire on the 4th Tuesday of April of
8 the 2nd year beginning after the year in which the district is created.

9 **SECTION 131.** 229.42 (7) (b) 2. and 3. of the statutes are repealed. ✕

10 **SECTION 132.** 229.42 (7) (c) of the statutes is created to read:

11 229.42 (7) (c) Vacancies in the membership of the board of directors may be
12 filled for the residue of the unexpired term by appointment of the chief executive
13 officer of the sponsoring municipality, or if there is more than one sponsoring
14 municipality, by a committee consisting of the chief executive officers of each
15 sponsoring municipality, subject to confirmation under par. (a). ✓

16 **SECTION 133.** 229.435 of the statutes is amended to read:

17 **229.435 Certification of names of initial board members.** Within 30 days
18 after a sponsoring municipality files an enabling resolution under s. 229.42 (1) (b),
19 each person who may appoint members to a board of directors under s. 229.42 (4),
20 (5) or (6) the clerk of the sponsoring municipality, or if there is more than one
21 sponsoring municipality, the clerk of each sponsoring municipality shall certify to
22 the department of administration the names of the persons who are initially
23 appointed to serve as members of the board of directors under s. 229.42 (5) or (6) or,
24 if the sole sponsoring municipality is a 1st class city, the names of the persons
25 appointed to the board of directors under s. 229.42 (4).

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1 **SECTION 134.** 229.66 (2) (intro.) of the statutes is renumbered 229.66 (2) and
2 amended to read:

3 229.66 (2) A district is governed by its district board. The district board shall
4 consist of 13 members, who shall be elected at large by the electors of the district at
5 the spring election to serve for terms of 4 years, except as provided in sub. (3). All
6 district board members shall be residents of the district. District board members
7 shall take office on July 1. The district board may adopt bylaws to govern the
8 district's activities, subject to this subchapter. ~~Subject to sub. (3), the district board~~
9 ~~shall consist of the following members:~~

10 **SECTION 135.** 229.66 (2) (a) to (g) of the statutes are repealed.

11 **SECTION 136.** 229.66 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

12 229.66 (3) Upon creation of a district, the initial district board members shall
13 be appointed jointly by a committee consisting of the chief executive officers of each
14 county that is contained within the district, subject to confirmation by the county
15 board of each such county. The terms of office of the district board members who are
16 initially appointed to office shall expire on July 1 of the 2nd year beginning after the
17 creation of the district. Upon making an appointment under sub. (2), the appointing
18 authorities committee shall certify the names of the appointees to the secretary of
19 administration. ~~The term of office of 50% of the persons appointed under sub. (2) (a)~~
20 ~~is 2 years, and the term of office of the other 50% of the persons appointed under sub.~~
21 ~~(2) (a) is 4 years, except that if an odd number of persons is appointed under sub. (2)~~
22 ~~(a), there shall be one more office with a term of 4 years than there are offices with~~
23 ~~terms of 2 years, and except that for the initial appointments for a newly created~~
24 ~~district the initial terms shall expire on July 1 of the 2nd year beginning after~~
25 ~~creation of a district for persons appointed to 2-year terms, and the initial terms~~

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1 shall expire on July 1 of the 4th year beginning after creation of a district for persons
2 appointed to 4-year terms. Persons appointed under sub. (2) (a) may be removed
3 from the district board before the expiration of their terms by the appointing
4 authority but only for cause, as defined in s. 17.001. Vacancies for persons appointed
5 under sub. (2) (a) shall in the membership of the district board may be filled by the
6 appointing authority who appointed the person whose office is vacant. A person
7 appointed to fill a vacancy under sub. (2) (a) shall serve for the remainder of the term
8 to which he or she is appointed. All of the appointing authorities shall ensure, to the
9 greatest extent possible, that the membership of the board is diverse with respect to
10 race. Of the persons appointed under sub. (2), not more than 4 may reside in any one
11 county for the residue of the unexpired term in the same manner as initial
12 appointments are made. Of the district board members who are initially elected to
13 office, the secretary of the district shall designate, no later than November 15
14 preceding the date of the spring election at which district board members are initially
15 elected, 3 to serve for terms expiring on July 1 of the 3rd year beginning after the year
16 in which the district is created, 3 to serve for terms expiring on July 1 of the 4th year
17 beginning after the year in which the district is created, 3 to serve for terms expiring
18 on July 1 of the 5th year beginning after the year in which the district is created, and
19 4 to serve for terms expiring on July 1 of the 6th year beginning after the year in
20 which the district is created.

21 SECTION 137. 229.66 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

22 229.66 (4) ^{plain} ~~The~~ governor shall select the chairperson of the district board and
23 the ^e ~~The~~ district board shall elect from its membership a chairperson, vice
24 chairperson, ~~a~~ secretary, and ~~a~~ treasurer. A majority of the current membership
25 of the district board constitutes a quorum to do business. The district may take

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1 action based on the affirmative vote of a majority of those directors who are present
2 at a meeting of the district board.

3 **SECTION 138.** 229.66 (6) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 229.66 (6) Upon the appointment and qualification of a majority of the
5 members of ~~a~~ the district board in a newly created district, the district board may
6 exercise the powers and duties of a district board under this subchapter.

7 **SECTION 139.** 229.822 (2) (intro.) of the statutes is renumbered 229.822 (2) and
8 amended to read:

9 229.822 (2) A district is governed by its district board. Subject to sub. (3), the
10 district board shall consist of the following members who shall be appointed not later
11 than 30 days after the creation of a district: The district board shall consist of 8
12 members, who shall be elected at large by the electors of the district at the spring
13 election to serve for terms of 2 years, except as provided in sub. (3). All board
14 members shall be residents of the district. District board members shall take office
15 on July 1.

16 **SECTION 140.** 229.822 (2) (a) ~~to~~ [†] (c) of the statutes are repealed.

17 **SECTION 141.** 229.822 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

18 229.822 (3) Upon creation of a district, the initial district board members shall
19 be appointed jointly by a committee consisting of the chief elected officials of the city
20 and county in which the football stadium is located and the chief elected official of
21 any municipality that has a boundary at the time of creation of the district that is
22 contiguous to a boundary of the site of the football stadium. The initial district board
23 members shall be appointed not later than 30 days after the creation of a district.
24 Upon making an appointment under sub. (2), the appointing authorities committee
25 shall certify the appointees name of each appointee to the secretary of

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1 administration. The terms of office of the persons appointed under sub. (2) shall be
2 2 years expiring on July 1, except that the initial terms shall expire on July 1 of the
3 4th year beginning after the year of creation of a district. Persons appointed under
4 sub. (2) serve at the pleasure of their appointing authorities, and may be removed
5 before the expiration of their terms. The terms of office of the district board members
6 who are initially appointed to office shall expire on July 1 of the 2nd year beginning
7 after the year in which the district is created. Vacancies shall in the membership of
8 the district board may be filled by the appointing authority who appointed the person
9 whose office is vacant. A person appointed to fill a vacancy under sub. (2) shall serve
10 for the remainder of the unexpired term to which he or she is appointed unless
11 removed at an earlier time. The appointing authorities shall confer with one another
12 regarding their appointments with a view toward achieving diversity on the district
13 board for the residue of the unexpired term in the same manner as initial
14 appointments are made. Of the district board members who are initially elected to
15 office, the secretary of the district shall designate, no later than November 15
16 preceding the date of the spring election at which district board members are initially
17 elected, 4 to serve for terms expiring on July 1 of the 3rd year beginning after the year
18 in which the district is created and 4 to serve for terms expiring on July 1 of the 4th
19 year beginning after the year in which the district is created.

20 **SECTION 142.** 229.822 (6) of the statutes is amended to read:

21 229.822 (6) Upon the appointment and qualification of a majority of the
22 members of ~~a~~ the district board in a newly created district, the district board may
23 exercise the powers and duties of a district board under this subchapter.

24 **SECTION 143.** 229.842 (2) (intro.) of the statutes is renumbered 229.842 (2) and
25 amended to read:

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1 229.842 (2) A district is governed by its district board. If the sponsoring city is
2 a 1st class city, sub. (4) applies but pars. (a) to (d) and sub. (3) do not apply and the
3 1st class city's common council shall determine the membership, structure,
4 qualifications and selection procedures for the district board. If the sponsoring city
5 is not a 1st class city, the district board shall consist of the following members, subject
6 to sub. (4): The district board shall consist of 13 members, who shall be elected at
7 large by the electors of the district at the spring election to serve for terms of 4 years,
8 except as provided in sub. (3). District board members shall take office on July 1.

9 **SECTION 144.** 229.842 (2) (a) to (d) of the statutes are repealed.

10 **SECTION 145.** 229.842 (3) (a) (intro.) of the statutes is renumbered 229.842 (3)
11 (a) and amended to read:

12 229.842 (3) (a) The persons Upon creation of a district, the initial district board
13 members shall be jointly appointed under sub. (2) (b) to (d) shall serve staggered
14 terms of 4 years expiring on by a committee consisting of the governor, the mayor of
15 the sponsoring city, and the county executive or board chairperson of the county in
16 which the greatest portion of the population of the city is located. Upon making an
17 appointment, the committee shall certify the name of each appointee to the secretary
18 of administration. The terms of office of the district board members who are initially
19 appointed to office shall expire on July 1 of the 2nd year beginning after the year in
20 which the district is created. Of the district board members who are initially elected
21 to office, the secretary of the district shall designate, no later than November 15
22 preceding the date of the spring election at which district board members are initially
23 elected, 3 to serve for terms expiring on July 1, except that: of the 2nd year beginning
24 after the year in which the district is created, 3 to serve for terms expiring on July
25 1 of the 4th year beginning after the year in which the district is created, 3 to serve

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1 for terms expiring on July 1 of the 5th year beginning after the year in which the
2 district is created, and 4 to serve for terms expiring on July 1 of the 6th year
3 beginning after the year in which the district is created.

4 **SECTION 146.** 229.842 (3) (a) 1. to 4. of the statutes are repealed.

5 **SECTION 147.** 229.842 (3) (b) of the statutes is repealed.

6 **SECTION 148.** 229.842 (3) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

7 229.842 (3) (c) ~~Persons appointed under sub. (2) (b) to (d)~~ Each district board
8 member must have resided within 25 miles of the sponsoring city's city hall for at
9 least one year before their appointment. ~~Persons appointed under sub. (2) (b) to (d)~~
10 may be removed from the district board before the expiration of their terms by the
11 appointing authority but only for cause, as defined in s. 17.001 taking office.
12 Vacancies shall in the membership of the district board may be filled by the
13 appointing authority who appointed the person whose office is vacant in the same
14 manner as initial appointments are made. A person appointed to fill a vacancy under
15 under sub. (2) (b) to (d) shall serve for the remainder of the unexpired term to which
16 he or she is appointed. ~~The appointing authorities shall confer with one another~~
17 ~~regarding their appointments with a view toward achieving diversity on the district~~
18 ~~board.~~

19 **SECTION 149.** 229.842 (4) of the statutes is repealed.

20 **SECTION 150.** 229.842 (7) of the statutes is amended to read:

21 229.842 (7) Upon the initial appointment and qualification of at least 7 of the
22 members of a district board, the district board may exercise the powers and duties
23 of a district board under this subchapter.

24 **SECTION 151. Nonstatutory provisions.**

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(1) ELECTION OF INITIAL TECHNICAL COLLEGE DISTRICT BOARDS. Notwithstanding section 38.08 (6) of the statutes, as created by this act, within 60 days after the effective date of this subsection, the appointment committee of each technical college district shall adopt and transmit to the secretary of each technical college district board and the director of the state technical college system board an initial districting plan for election districts as required by section 38.08 (6) of the statutes, as created by this act. The state technical college system board shall review and determine its approval or disapproval of each plan as promptly as possible. If a plan is rejected, the appointment committee shall submit a new plan for approval. Notwithstanding section 227.24 (1) (a) and (3) of the statutes, the state technical college system board may promulgate the plan as an emergency rule under section 227.24 of the statutes without providing evidence that promulgating a rule under this subsection as an emergency rule is necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, or welfare, and is not required to provide a finding of emergency for a rule promulgated under this subsection. Notwithstanding section 227.24 (1) (c) of the statutes, an emergency rule promulgated under this subsection applies until a rule replacing that rule takes effect or until the actions specified in section 227.24 (1) (d) of the statutes occur, whichever is sooner. Notwithstanding section 227.19 (4) to (6) of the statutes, the rule replacing a valid emergency rule adopted under this subsection may not contain any substantive change from the emergency rule.

(2) TECHNICAL COLLEGE DISTRICT BOARDS; TRANSITIONAL TERMS. Notwithstanding chapter 269, laws of 1981, section 22, and section 38.08 (1) (b) of the statutes, as affected by this act, the members of each technical college district board who hold office on the effective date of this subsection shall cease to hold office on July 1, 2009. At the 2009 spring election, 9 members shall be elected to each technical college

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1 district board for terms commencing on July 1, ²⁰⁰⁹~~2007~~. The persons elected to
2 represent election districts numbered 1 and 2 at that election shall serve for terms
3 of one year, the persons elected to represent election districts numbered 3 and 4 at
4 that election shall serve for terms of 2 years, the persons elected to represent election
5 districts numbered 5 and 6 at that election shall serve for terms of 3 years, and the
6 persons elected to represent election districts numbered 7, 8, and 9 at that election
7 shall serve for terms of 4 years.

8 (3) TECHNICAL COLLEGE DISTRICT BOARDS; VACANCIES. Notwithstanding section
9 38.10, 2003 stats., the appointment committee of each technical college district shall
10 not make any appointment to a technical college district board for the purpose of
11 filling a vacancy resulting from expiration of a term of office after the effective date
12 of this subsection.

13 (4) METROPOLITAN SEWERAGE DISTRICT INITIAL APPORTIONMENT PLAN.
14 Notwithstanding section 200.25 (7) (a) of the statutes, as affected by this act, the
15 initial plan of apportionment of subdistricts within any metropolitan sewerage
16 district created under section 200.23, 2003 stats., that is in existence on the effective
17 date of this subsection shall be prescribed in accordance with this subsection. For
18 the purpose of implementing an initial plan of apportionment in any such district,
19 there is created a legislative special committee to be called the joint committee for
20 Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District subdistricting. The committee shall
21 consist of 5 representatives to the assembly and 5 senators, with 4 members in each
22 house representing the majority party and one member in each house representing
23 the minority party. Members shall be appointed in the same manner as members of
24 standing committees are appointed in their respective houses. Each house shall
25 ensure that at least 3 of the members representing that house represent legislative

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1 districts that include territory lying within the metropolitan sewerage district that
2 is being apportioned. The committee shall recommend an initial plan of
3 apportionment of the subdistricts within the metropolitan sewerage district in the
4 form of a bill which shall be introduced by the committee. The plan shall be based
5 upon the most recent federal decennial census of population on the effective date of
6 this subsection. In prescribing its recommended plan of apportionment, the
7 committee shall adhere to the same standards that are applicable to a metropolitan
8 sewerage commission in prescribing a plan of apportionment under section 200.25
9 (7) (a) of the statutes, as affected by this act. Each house of the legislature shall
10 consider the bill within 45 days of introduction. If the bill introduced by the
11 committee is passed by the legislature but does not become law, the committee shall
12 recommend an alternative bill prescribing subdistricts within the metropolitan
13 sewerage district which shall be considered in a like manner. The committee ceases
14 to exist upon enactment of a bill recommended by the committee.

15 (5) METROPOLITAN SEWERAGE COMMISSION UNDER S. 200.23; TERM EXPIRATION.
16 Notwithstanding section 200.25 (1), 2003 stats., the terms of office of the members
17 of each metropolitan sewerage commission created under section 200.23, 2003 stats.,
18 that is in existence on the effective date of this subsection shall expire on the date
19 of commencement of the terms of office of their successors elected under section
20 200.23 (2) of the statutes, as affected by this act.

21 (6) OTHER METROPOLITAN SEWERAGE COMMISSIONS; INITIAL TERMS.
22 Notwithstanding section 200.09 (1) of the statutes, as affected by this act, the terms
23 of office of the commissioners of each metropolitan sewerage district organized under
24 subchapter I of chapter 200 of the statutes that is in existence on the effective date
25 of this subsection shall expire on the 4th Monday of April of 2007. At the 2007 spring

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1 election in each such district, one commissioner shall be elected for a term expiring
2 on the 4th Monday of April ~~2008~~²⁰¹⁰; one commissioner shall be elected for a term
3 expiring on the 4th Monday of April ~~2009~~²⁰¹¹; one commissioner shall be elected for a
4 term expiring on the 4th Monday of April ~~2010~~²⁰¹²; one commissioner shall be elected
5 for a term expiring on the 4th Monday of April ~~2011~~²⁰¹³; and one commissioner shall be
6 elected for a term expiring on the 4th Monday of April ~~2012~~²⁰¹⁴.

7 (7) TOWN SANITARY DISTRICT COMMISSIONS; INITIAL TERMS. Notwithstanding
8 section 60.75 (2) of the statutes, as affected by this act, the terms of office of the
9 commissioners of each town sanitary district commission that is in existence on the
10 effective date of this subsection shall expire on the 3rd Monday of April of ~~2007~~²⁰⁰⁹. At
11 the ~~2007~~²⁰⁰⁹ spring election in each such district, one commissioner shall be elected for
12 a term expiring on the 3rd Monday of April of ~~2009~~²⁰¹¹; one commissioner shall be elected
13 for a term expiring on the 3rd Monday of April of ~~2010~~²⁰¹³; and one commissioner shall
14 be elected for a term expiring on the 3rd Monday of April of ~~2013~~²⁰¹⁵.

15 (8) LOCAL EXPOSITION DISTRICT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS; INITIAL TERMS.
16 Notwithstanding section 229.42 (3) of the statutes, as affected by this act, the terms
17 of office of the members of the board of directors of each exposition district created
18 under subchapter II of chapter 229 of the statutes that is in existence on the effective
19 date of this subsection shall expire on the 4th Tuesday of April of ~~2007~~²⁰⁰⁹. At the ~~2007~~²⁰⁰⁹
20 spring election in each such district, the secretary of each such district shall, no later
21 than November 15 preceding the date of the election at which district board members
22 are initially elected, designate one-third, or if the number of board members is not
23 divisible by 3, approximately one-third of the board members to be elected for terms
24 expiring on the 4th Tuesday of April of ~~2008~~²⁰¹⁰; one-third or approximately one-third
25 of the board members to be elected for terms expiring on the 4th Tuesday of April of

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1 ~~2009~~²⁰¹¹ and one-third or approximately one-third of the board members to be elected
2 for terms expiring on the 4th Tuesday of April of ~~2010~~²⁰¹².

3 (9) LOCAL PROFESSIONAL BASEBALL PARK DISTRICT BOARD MEMBERS; INITIAL TERMS.

4 Notwithstanding section 229.66 (2) of the statutes, as affected by this act, the terms
5 of office of the members of the district board of each professional baseball park
6 district created under subchapter III of chapter 229 of the statutes that is in
7 existence on the effective date of this subsection shall expire on July 1, ~~2007~~²⁰⁰⁹. At the
8 ~~2007~~²⁰⁰⁹ spring election in each such district, the secretary of the district shall, no later
9 than November 15 preceding the date of the election, designate 3 of the district board
10 members to be elected for terms expiring on July 1, ~~2008~~²⁰¹⁰, 3 of the district board
11 members to be elected for terms expiring on July 1, ~~2009~~²⁰¹¹, 3 of the district board
12 members to be elected for terms expiring on July 1, ~~2010~~²⁰¹², and 4 of the district board
13 members to be elected for terms expiring on July 1, ~~2011~~²⁰¹³.

14 (10) LOCAL PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL STADIUM DISTRICT BOARD MEMBERS; INITIAL
15 TERMS. Notwithstanding section 229.822 (2) of the statutes, as affected by this act,
16 the terms of office of the members of the district board of each professional football
17 stadium district created under subchapter IV of chapter 229 of the statutes that is
18 in existence on the effective date of this subsection shall expire on July 1, ~~2007~~²⁰⁰⁹. At
19 the ~~2007~~²⁰⁰⁹ spring election in each such district, the secretary of the district shall

20 designate 4 of the district board members to be elected for terms expiring on July 1,
21 ~~2008~~²⁰¹⁰ and 4 of the district board members to be elected for terms expiring on July 1,
22 ~~2009~~²⁰¹¹.

23 (11) LOCAL CULTURAL ARTS DISTRICT BOARD MEMBERS; INITIAL TERMS.

24 Notwithstanding section 229.842 (2) of the statutes, as affected by this act, the terms
25 of office of the members of the district board of each cultural arts district created

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under subchapter V of chapter 229 of the statutes that is in existence on the effective date of this subsection shall expire on July 1, 2007. At the 2007 spring election in each such district, the secretary of the district shall, no later than November 15 preceding the date of the election, designate 3 of the district board members to be elected for terms expiring on July 1, 2008. 3 of the district board members to be elected for terms expiring on July 1, 2009. 3 of the district board members to be elected for terms expiring on July 1, 2010 and 4 of the district board members to be elected for terms expiring on July 1, 2011.

SECTION 152. Effective dates. This act takes effect on August 1, 2008 except as follows:

(1) The treatment of sections 17.01 (10m), 17.02 (2), 17.17 (2), 17.27 (3), 38.04 (15), 38.08 (1) (a), (b), and (c), (1g), (2), and (2m), 38.08 (6), and 38.10 of the statutes takes effect on July 1, 2009.

(2) The treatment of sections 5.15 (1) (c) and (2) (f) 6., 5.58 (2m), (with respect to the election of metropolitan sewerage commissioners in districts created under section 200.23 of the statutes), 5.60 (4m), 7.10 (1) (a), 7.51 (3) (b) and (d), (4) (b), and (5), 7.53 (3n), 7.60 (4) (a) (with respect to the election of metropolitan sewerage commissioners in districts created under section 200.23 of the statutes) and (5) (a) (with respect to the election of metropolitan sewerage commissioners in districts created under section 200.23 of the statutes), 7.70 (3) (d) (with respect to the election of metropolitan sewerage commissioners in districts created under section 200.23 of the statutes), 8.10 (6) (f), 8.11 (2g) (a), 9.10 (1) (a) (with respect to the election of metropolitan sewerage commissioners in districts created under section 200.23 of the statutes) and (b), (2) (d), (3) (a) (with respect to the election of metropolitan sewerage commissioners in districts created under section 200.23 of the statutes), (4)

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1 ✓ (a) (with respect to the election of metropolitan sewerage commissioners in districts
2 created under section 200.23 of the statutes) and (d) (with respect to the election of
3 metropolitan sewerage commissioners in districts created under section 200.23 of
4 the statutes), and (7) (with respect to the election of metropolitan sewerage
5 commissioners in districts created under section 200.23 of the statutes), 10.05, 11.02
6 (3) (with respect to the election of metropolitan sewerage commissioners in districts
7 created under section 200.23 of the statutes) and (9), 11.26 (1) (d) 2. and (2) (e) 2.,
8 11.31 (1) (g) 1. d., 17.01 (11n), 17.13 (intro.) and (3), 17.27 (1g) and (1m) (title), 200.23
9 (2), 200.25 (1) to (4), (7) (a), and (8), and 200.27 (1) and (3) of the statutes by this act
10 takes effect on November 15 following the effective date of a plan of apportionment
11 enacted in the manner described under SECTION 151 (4) of this act.

12 (3) The treatment of SECTION 151 (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), (9), (10), and (11) of this
13 act take effect on the day after publication.

14 (4) The treatment of sections 17.02 (5) and 17.17 (2m) of the statutes takes
15 effect on the 4th Monday of April 2007.

16 (END)

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Section #. 7.51 (3) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

7.51 (3) (d) Except in municipalities where absentee ballots are canvassed under s. 7.52, all absentee certificate envelopes which have been opened shall be returned by the inspectors to the municipal clerk in a securely sealed carrier envelope which is clearly marked "used absentee certificate envelopes". The envelopes shall be signed by the chief inspector and 2 other inspectors. Except when the ballots are used in a municipal or school district election only, the municipal clerk shall transmit the used envelopes to the county clerk.

History: 1971 c. 304 s. 29 (2); 1977 c. 29; 1977 c. 394 s. 53; 1977 c. 427, 447; 1979 c. 260 ss. 36, 48; 1979 c. 311; 1981 c. 4, 391; 1983 a. 183, 442; 1983 a. 484 ss. 76, 77, 172 (3); 1983 a. 538; 1985 a. 120, 304; 1987 a. 391; 1989 a. 56, 192; 1993 a. 399; 1997 a. 127; 1999 a. 49, 182; 2001 a. 107, 109; 2003 a. 265; 2005 a. 451.

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(a) 2. and 3. and (b)

Section #. 7.51 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:

7.51 (5) RETURNS. (a) 1. The inspectors shall make full and accurate return of the votes cast for each candidate and proposition on tally sheet forms provided by the municipal clerk for that purpose. Each tally sheet shall record the returns for each office or referendum by ward, unless combined returns are authorized in accordance with s. 5.15 (6) (b) in which case the tally sheet shall record the returns for each group of combined wards.

2. After recording the votes, the inspectors shall seal in a carrier envelope outside the ballot bag or container one tally sheet and one poll list for delivery to the county clerk, unless the election relates only to municipal or school district offices or referenda. INS B - in bill

3. The inspectors shall also seal the inspectors' statement, inside a separate carrier envelope, and shall similarly seal in a separate carrier envelope one tally sheet and one poll list for delivery to the municipal clerk. For school district elections, except in 1st class cities, the inspectors shall seal one tally sheet and one poll list for delivery to the school district clerk. INS C - in bill

4. The inspectors shall immediately deliver all ballots, statements, tally sheets, lists, and envelopes to the municipal clerk.

5. Upon receipt of the materials under subd. 4., the municipal clerk shall make sufficient copies of the inspectors' statement under sub. (4) (a) and seal one copy of the statement inside a carrier envelope together with the envelope containing any materials required to be delivered to the county clerk or the school district clerk. The municipal clerk shall retain the original inspectors' statement. in bill

(b) The municipal clerk shall deliver all ballots, statements, tally sheets, lists, and envelopes relating to a school district election to the school district clerk by 4 p.m. on the day following each such election. INS D INS E
The municipal clerk shall deliver the ballots, statements, tally sheets, lists, and envelopes for his or her municipality relating to any county, technical college district, state, or national election to the county clerk no later than 4 p.m. on the day following each such election or, in municipalities where absentee ballots are canvassed under s. 7.52, by 4. p.m. on the 2nd day following each such

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election, and no later than 4 p.m. on the day after receiving any corrected returns under s. 6.221 (6)

(b). The person delivering the returns shall be paid out of the municipal treasury. Each clerk shall retain ballots, statements, tally sheets, or envelopes received by the clerk until destruction is authorized under s. 7.23 (1).

History: 1971 c. 304 s. 29 (2); 1977 c. 29; 1977 c. 394 s. 53; 1977 c. 427, 447; 1979 c. 260 ss. 36, 48; 1979 c. 311; 1981 c. 4, 391; 1983 a. 183, 442; 1983 a. 484 ss. 76, 77, 172 (3); 1983 a. 538; 1985 a. 120, 304; 1987 a. 391; 1989 a. 56, 192; 1993 a. 399; 1997 a. 127; 1999 a. 49, 182; 2001 a. 107, 109; 2003 a. 265; 2005 a. 451.

JNS 12-15

Section #. 7.60 (5) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

in bill

7.60 (5) (a) Immediately following the canvass, the county clerk shall deliver or send to the elections board, by 1st class mail, a certified copy of each statement of the county board of canvassers for president and vice president, state officials, senators and representatives in congress, state legislators, justice, court of appeals judge, ~~JNS H~~ circuit judge, ~~JNS J~~ district attorney, and metropolitan sewerage commissioners, ~~JNS J~~ if the commissioners are elected under s. 200.09 (11) (am). The statement shall record the returns for each office or referendum by ward, unless combined returns are authorized under s. 5.15 (6) (b) in which case the statement shall record the returns for each group of combined wards. Following primaries the county clerk shall enclose on forms prescribed by the elections board the names, party or principle designation, if any, and number of votes received by each candidate recorded in the same manner. The county clerk shall deliver or transmit the certified statement to the elections board no later than 7 days after each primary except the September primary, no later than 10 days after the September primary and any other election except the general election, and no later than 14 days after the general election. The board of canvassers shall deliver or transmit a certified copy of each statement for any technical college district referendum to the secretary of the technical college district board.

History: 1971 c. 304 s. 29 (2); 1973 c. 334 ss. 14, 57; 1975 c. 93, 199; 1977 c. 187, 427, 449; 1979 c. 221, 260, 355; 1981 c. 4; 1983 a. 442, 484, 538; 1985 a. 89, 304, 332; 1987 a. 391; 1989 a. 31; 1991 a. 316; 1993 a. 399; 1999 a. 150 s. 672; 1999 a. 182; 2001 a. 107, 109; 2005 a. 451.

INS 24-10

Section #. 9.10 (2) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

in bill

9.10 (2) (d) No petition may be offered for filing for the recall of an officer unless the petitioner first files a registration statement under s. 11.05 (1) or (2) with the filing officer with whom the petition is filed. The petitioner shall append to the registration a statement indicating his or her intent to circulate a recall petition, the name of the officer for whom recall is sought and, in the case of a petition for the recall of a city, village, town or school district officer, a statement of a reason for the recall which is related to the official responsibilities of the official for whom removal is sought. No petitioner may circulate a petition for the recall of an officer prior to completing registration. The last date that a petition for the recall of an officer may be offered for filing is 5 p.m. on the 60th day commencing after registration. After the recall petition has been offered for filing, no name may be added or removed. No signature may be counted unless the date of the signature is within the period provided in this paragraph.

History: 1977 c. 187 s. 134; 1977 c. 403, 447; 1979 c. 260; 1983 a. 219, 491, 538; 1985 a. 304; 1987 a. 391; 1989 a. 31, 192; 1991 a. 269, 315; 1999 a. 182; 2001 a. 109; 2005 a. 451.

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229.842(1)(b) ↑

~~(b)~~ The sponsoring city's common council adopts a resolution that approves the mayor's proclamation, and delivers a copy of the resolution to the governor. ~~The resolution under this paragraph may contain a procedure that the mayor must follow in appointing persons to the board under sub. (2) (c).~~